



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date: March 6, 2017
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FOR PLANNING PURPOSES

Truck Platooning Demonstration at Port of Los Angeles

WHO: **Carrie Bowen**, Caltrans District 7 Director; **John Fasana**, Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority Board Chair; **Fran Inman**, California Transportation Commission Vice Chair; **Chris O'Quinn**, California Highway Patrol Southern Division Chief; **Hassan Ikhrata**, Southern California Association of Governments Executive Director; **Doane Liu**, Port of Los Angeles Deputy Chief Executive; **Allison Yoh**, Port of Long Beach Director of Transportation Planning; Gateway Cities Coalition and city of Long Beach representatives invited.

WHAT: News conference for truck platooning demonstration of Cooperative Adaptive Cruise Control occurring on Interstate 110 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

WHEN: Wednesday, March 8, 2017 10:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

WHERE: 425 S Palos Verdes Street,
San Pedro, CA 90731
(Port of LA Admin Building)

PROJECT: Demonstration of Cooperative Adaptive Cruise Control (CACC), which enables heavy trucks to safely drive in a closer than normal formation with automatic speed and spacing control while drivers continue to steer. Real world conditions will be demonstrated on Interstate 110 with three trucks carrying cargo containers.

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